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Blennocampa Hartig, 1837, *Cryptocampus* Hartig, 1837, *Taxonus* Hartig, 1837, *Ametastegia* A. Costa, 1882, *Endelomyia* Ashmead, 1898, *Monsoma* MacGillivray, 1908, *Gemmura* E.L. Smith, 1968, BLENNOCAMPINI Konow, 1890 and CALIROINI Benson, 1938 (Insecta, Hymenoptera): conserved by setting aside the type species designations by Gimmerthal (1847) and recognition of those by Rohwer (1911)

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Ruling

- (1) Under the plenary power all previous fixations of type species prior to those by Rohwer (1911) are hereby set aside for the following nominal genera:
 - (a) *Poecilostoma* Dahlbom, 1835, and *Tenthredo guttata* Fallén, 1808 is designated as the type species;
 - (b) *Blennocampa* Hartig, 1837, and *Tenthredo (Allantus) pusilla* Klug, 1816 is designated as the type species;
 - (c) *Cryptocampus* Hartig, 1837, and *Nematus (Cryptocampus) medullarius* Hartig, 1837 is designated as the type species;
 - (d) *Taxonus* Hartig, 1837, and *Tenthredo (Allantus) nitida* Klug, 1817 is designated as the type species.
- (2) The following names are hereby placed on the Official List of Generic Names in Zoology:
 - (a) *Poecilostoma* Dahlbom, 1835 (gender: neuter), type species by subsequent designation by Rohwer (1911) *Tenthredo guttata* Fallén, 1808 (a junior subjective synonym of *Tenthredo liturata* Gmelin, 1790), as ruled in (1)(a) above;
 - (b) *Blennocampa* Hartig, 1837 (gender: feminine), type species by subsequent designation by Rohwer (1911) *Tenthredo (Allantus) pusilla* Klug, 1816 (invalid senior objective synonym of *Blennocampa phyllocolpa* Viitasaari & Vikberg, 1985), as ruled in (1)(b) above;
 - (c) *Cryptocampus* Hartig, 1837 (gender: masculine), type species by subsequent designation by Rohwer (1911) *Nematus (Cryptocampus) medullarius* Hartig, 1837 (a junior subjective synonym of *Cynips amerinae* Linnaeus, 1758), as ruled in (1)(c) above;
 - (d) *Taxonus* Hartig, 1837 (gender: masculine), type species by subsequent designation by Rohwer (1911) *Tenthredo (Allantus) nitida* Klug, 1817 (a junior subjective synonym of *Tenthredo agrorum* Fallén, 1808), as ruled in (1)(d) above;
 - (e) *Ametastegia* A. Costa, 1882 (gender: feminine), type species by monotypy *Ametastegia fulvipes* A. Costa, 1882 (a junior subjective synonym of *Tenthredo glabrata* Fallén, 1808);

- (f) *Endelomyia* Ashmead, 1898 (gender: feminine), type species by monotypy and original designation *Selandria rosae* Harris, 1841 (a junior subjective synonym of *Tenthredo aethiops* Gmelin, 1790);
- (g) *Monsoma* MacGillivray, 1908 (gender: neuter), type species by monotypy and original designation *Poecilostoma inferentia* Norton, 1868;
- (h) *Gemmura* E.L. Smith, 1968 (gender: feminine), type species by original designation *Nematus (Cryptocampus) mucronatus* Hartig, 1837;
- (i) *Caliroa* A. Costa, 1859 (gender: feminine), type species by monotypy *Caliroa sebetia* A. Costa, 1859 (a junior subjective synonym of *Tenthredo (Allantus) cinxia* Klug, 1816).
- (3) The following names are hereby placed on the Official List of Specific Names in Zoology:
- (a) *liturata* Gmelin, 1790, as published in the binomen *Tenthredo liturata* (senior subjective synonym of *Tenthredo guttata* Fallén, 1808, the type species of *Poecilostoma* Dahlbom, 1835);
- (b) *phyllocolpa* Viitasaari & Vikberg, 1985, as published in the binomen *Blennocampa phyllocolpa* (junior objective synonym of *Tenthredo (Allantus) pusilla* Klug, 1816 (a junior primary homonym of *T. pusilla* O.F. Müller, 1776), the type species of *Blennocampa* Hartig, 1837);
- (c) *amerinae* Linnaeus, 1758, as published in the binomen *Cynips amerinae* (senior subjective synonym of *Nematus (Cryptocampus) medullarius* Hartig, 1837, the type species of *Cryptocampus* Hartig, 1837);
- (d) *agrorum* Fallén, 1808, as published in the binomen *Tenthredo agrorum* (senior subjective synonym of *Tenthredo (Allantus) nitida* Klug, 1817, the type species of *Taxonus* Hartig, 1837);
- (e) *glabrata* Fallén, 1808, as published in the binomen *Tenthredo glabrata* (senior subjective synonym of *Ametastegia fulvipes* A. Costa, 1882, the type species of *Ametastegia* A. Costa, 1882);
- (f) *aethiops* Gmelin, 1790, as published in the binomen *Tenthredo aethiops* (senior subjective synonym of *Selandria rosae* Harris, 1841, the type species of *Endelomyia* Ashmead, 1898);
- (g) *inferentia* Norton, 1868, as published in the binomen *Poecilostoma inferentia* (specific name of the type species of *Monsoma* MacGillivray, 1908);
- (h) *mucronatus* Hartig, 1837, as published in the binomen *Nematus (Cryptocampus) mucronatus* (specific name of the type species of *Gemmura* E.L. Smith, 1968);
- (i) *cinxia* Klug, 1816, as published in the binomen *Tenthredo (Allantus) cinxia* (senior subjective synonym of *Caliroa sebetia* A. Costa, 1859, the type species of *Caliroa* A. Costa, 1859).
- (4) The following names are hereby placed on the Official List of Family-Group Names in Zoology:
- (a) BLENNOCAMPINI Konow, 1890 (type genus *Blennocampa* Hartig, 1837);
- (b) CALIROINI Benson, 1938 (type genus *Caliroa* A. Costa, 1859).

History of Case 3063

An application for the conservation of seven generic and two family-group names in Hymenoptera by setting aside the type species designations of Gimmerthal (1847)

and recognising those of Rohwer (1911) was received from Drs Stephan M. Blank and Andreas Taeger (*Deutsches Entomologisches Institut, Eberswalde, Germany*) on 13 August 1997. After correspondence the case was published in BZN 56: 121–127 (June 1999). Notice of the case was sent to appropriate journals.

Decision of the Commission

On 1 March 2000 the members of the Commission were invited to vote on the proposals published in BZN 56: 124–125. At the close of the voting period on 1 June 2000 the votes were as follows:

Affirmative votes — 21: Bock, Brothers, Cocks, Cogger, Eschmeyer, Heppell, Kerzhner, Kraus, Macpherson, Mahnert, Martins de Souza, Mawatari, Minelli, Nielsen, Papp, Patterson, Ride, Savage, Schuster, Song, Štys

Negative votes — none.

Bouchet abstained.

No vote was received from Dupuis.

Lehtinen was on leave of absence.

Bouchet abstained because in his view insufficient evidence had been given for the conservation of the names *Monsona* MacGillivray, 1908 and *Gemmura* E.L. Smith, 1968; he also pointed out that the name CALIROINI Benson, 1938 is senior to HETERARTHRIINAE Benson, 1952 (cf. para. 2 of the application). Dupuis declined to vote on the grounds that less than a year had elapsed since publication of the case. [Editorial note. An explanation of procedure followed in sending cases for voting was given in BZN 54: 53–54, March 1997].

Original references

The following are the original references to the names placed on Official Lists by the ruling given in the present Opinion:

aethiops, *Tenthredo*, Gmelin, 1790, *Caroli a Linné Systema Naturae*, Ed. 13, vol. 1, part 5, p. 2992.

agrorum, *Tenthredo*, Fallén, 1808, *Kongl. Vetenskaps Academiens Handlingar*, 29(1): 60.

amerinae, *Cynips*, Linnaeus, 1758, *Systema Naturae*, Ed. 10, vol. 1, p. 554.

Ametastegia A. Costa, 1882, *Rendiconto dell'Accademia delle Scienze Fisiche e Matematiche*, 21(10): 198.

Blechnocampa Hartig, 1837, *Die Aderflügler Deutschlands mit besonderer Berücksichtigung ihres Larvenzustandes und ihres Wirkens in Wäldern und Gärten für Entomologen, Wald- und Gartenbesitzer . . .*, vol. 1, p. 266.

BLENNOCAMPINI Konow, 1890, *Deutsche Entomologische Zeitschrift*, 1890(2): 248.

Caliroa A. Costa, 1859, *Imenotteri*. Part 3a (Trivellarti sessiliventri) in Costa, O., *Fauna del Regno Napoli*, part 5 (Imenotteri), p. 59.

CALIROINI Benson, 1938, *Transactions of the Entomological Society of London*, 87(15): 368.

cinxia, *Tenthredo* (*Allantus*), Klug, 1816, *Magazin. Gesellschaft Naturforschender Freunde zu Berlin*, 8(1): 69–70.

Cryptocampus Hartig, 1837, *Die Aderflügler Deutschlands mit besonderer Berücksichtigung ihres Larvenzustandes und ihres Wirkens in Wäldern und Gärten für Entomologen, Wald- und Gartenbesitzer . . .*, vol. 1, p. 221.

Endelomyia Ashmead, 1898, *Canadian Entomologist*, 30(10): 256.

Gemmura E.L. Smith, 1968, *Annals of the Entomological Society of America*, 61(6): 1401.

glabrata, *Tenthredo*, Fallén, 1808, *Kongl. Vetenskaps Academiens Handlingar*, 29(2): 108.

inferentia, *Poecilostoma*, Norton, 1868, *Transactions of the American Entomological Society*, 2: 224.

- liturata*, *Tenthredo*, Gmelin, 1790, *Caroli a Linné Systema Naturae*, Ed. 13, vol. 1, part 5, p. 2668.
- Monsoma* MacGillivray, 1908, *Canadian Entomologist*, **40**(10): 368.
- mucronatus*, *Nematus* (*Cryptocampus*), Hartig, 1837, *Die Aderflügler Deutschlands mit besonderer Berücksichtigung ihres Larvenzustandes und ihres Wirkens in Wäldern und Gärten für Entomologen, Wald- und Gartenbesitzer . . .*, vol. 1, p. 223.
- phyllocolpa*, *Blennocampa*, Viitasaari & Vikberg, 1985, *Notulae Entomologicae*, **65**: 2.
- Poecilostoma* Dahlbom, 1835, *Conspectus Tenthredinidum, Siricidum et Oryssinorum Scandinaviae quas Hymenopterorum familias*, pp. 5, 13.
- Taxonus* Hartig, 1837, *Die Aderflügler Deutschlands mit besonderer Berücksichtigung ihres Larvenzustandes und ihres Wirkens in Wäldern und Gärten für Entomologen, Wald- und Gartenbesitzer . . .*, vol. 1, p. 297.

The following is the reference for the designation of *Tenthredo guttata* Fallén, 1808 as the type species of the nominal genus *Poecilostoma* Dahlbom, 1835, of *Tenthredo* (*Allantus*) *pusilla* Klug, 1816 as the type species of the nominal genus *Blennocampa* Hartig, 1837, of *Nematus* (*Cryptocampus*) *medullarius* Hartig, 1837 as the type species of the nominal genus *Cryptocampus* Hartig, 1837, and of *Tenthredo* (*Allantus*) *nitida* Klug, 1817 as the type species of the nominal genus *Taxonus* Hartig, 1837:

Rohwer, S.A. 1911. *U.S. Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Entomology, Technical Series*, **20**(2): 87, 75, 77 and 90 respectively.